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**GWG Bylaws Amendments Science Subcommittee** 

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#### **Proposed Amendments**

- Scoring for DISC, TRAN, and EDUC (DT&E)
  Program Applications
- Scoring for CLIN Applications
- Scoring for IFRA Applications
- Technical Clean-Up



## **DT&E Scoring**

- Current Scoring: 1-100
  - Average Score of 85 and above Fundable
  - Average Score below 85 Not Fundable
- Proposed Scoring: 1-100
  - Median Score of 85 and above Fundable
  - Median Score below 85 Not Fundable
  - Applications within Fundable and Non-Fundable categories ranked based on average score



## **CLIN Scoring**

- Current Scoring: 1 (recommended), 2 (not recommended at this time), and 3 (not recommended)
  - Plurality of scores required for 1 or 2
  - Majority of scores required for 3
  - Motion determines score where no plurality or majority
- Proposed Scoring: same, but add "if funds available" to 1
  - Majority of scores required for 1, 2, or 3
  - If no majority, automatic 2



# **INFR Scoring**

- Current Scoring: 1-100
  - Average Score of 85 and above Fundable
  - Average Score below 85 Not Fundable
- Proposed Scoring: 1-100
  - Median Score of 85 and above Fundable
  - Median Score below 85 Not Fundable
  - Applications within Fundable and Non-Fundable categories ranked based on average score



# **INFR Scoring: ATP3**

- Current Scoring: 1-100
  - Average Score of 85 and above Fundable
  - Average Score below 85 Not Fundable
- Proposed Scoring: 1 (recommended), 2 (not recommended at this time), and 3 (not recommended)
  - Majority of scores required for 1, 2, or 3
  - If no majority, automatic 2



#### **Technical Amendments**

- (1) Art. IV, § 15, p. 4: delete obsolete reference to "administrative" chair, a position that no longer exists.
- (2) Art. VII, § 2, p. 7: clarify that actions of the GWG may only be taken by a majority of those members present and voting.
- (3) Art. VII, §§ 3 & 5, p. 7 & 9): make technical edits to language for clarity.

